

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE:

Discuss Installing Basketball Courts at Legion Park

MEETING DATE:

May 21, 1997

PREPARED BY:

Parks and Recreation Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

That City Council approve the installation of a basketball court(s) at

Legion Park.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Installation of basketball courts at Legion Parks has been in discussion by the department staff, Parks and Recreation Commission, and City Council for some time. In the past, other priorities left this project unfunded. It is anticipated

that in the 1997/98 Parks and Recreation capital budget, there will be sufficient funds to construct this project.

Staff prepared two possible options for discussion. Exhibit A provides a one-court facility that fits well in the park with little impact. Exhibit B provides a two-court facility that significantly impacts available open space in the park. Mitigation of this impact could be softened by mounding and tree planting.

FUNDING:

1997/98 Parks and Recreation Capital Outlay Fund

One-court facility:

\$26,653

Two-court facility:

\$55,596/

Ron Williamson, Director Parks and Recreation

Prepared by Dwight Dauber, Parks Superintendent

APPROVED:

H. DIXON FLYNN City Manager



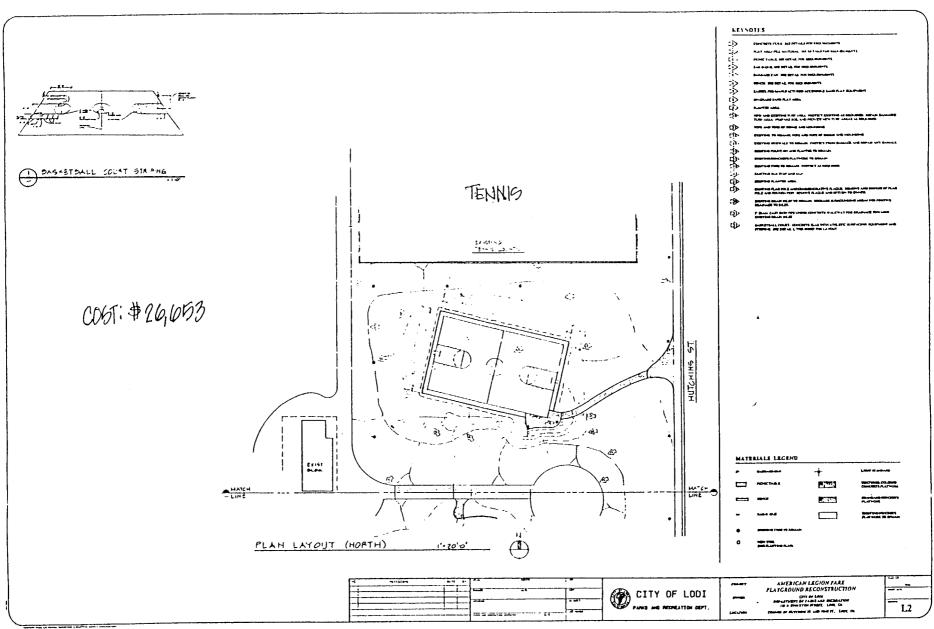


Exhibit A.

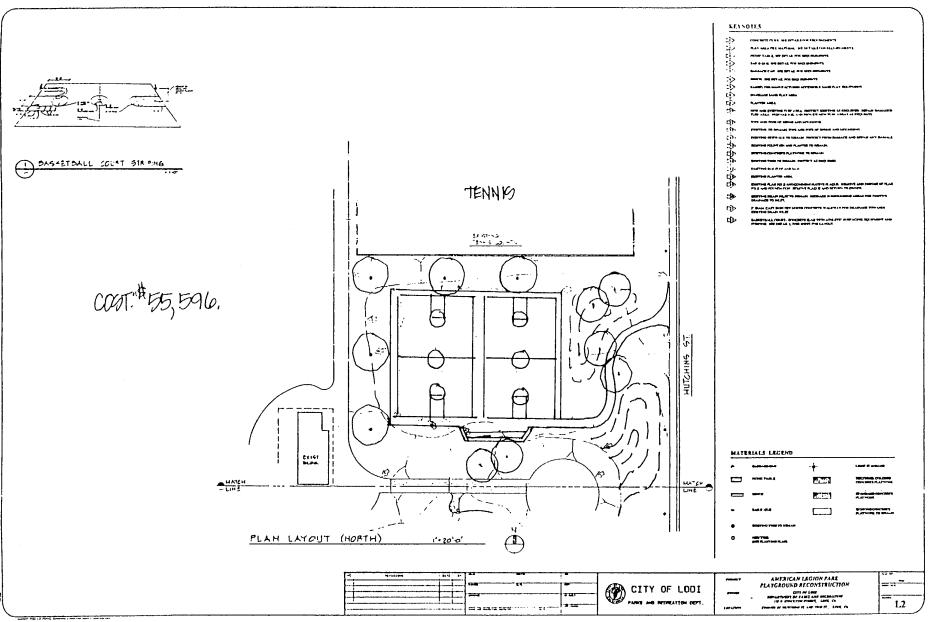


Exhibit B